Mountain Weather Forecast

Snowdonia National Park

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Sunday 24 Oct 2021 until 23:59 on Monday 25 Oct 2021

Forecast Issued on Sunday 24 Oct 2021 at 03:07

Confidence: High for the general weather story through the coming days. Slight uncertainty in timing of rain clearing eastwards on Sunday, give or take one two hours. Low for rainfall timings from midweek.

Headline for Sunday 24 Oct 2021: Rain then showers. Southerly gales.

Mountain weather hazards on Sunday 24 Oct 2021

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Heavy Snow
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
Low Likelihood

Gales
High Likelihood

Severe chill effect
Low Likelihood

Poor visibility
High Likelihood

Thunderstorms
Low Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
Low Likelihood

Strong sunlight
No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Heavy Rain	Heavy Rain	Cloudy	Heavy rain showers	Heavy rain showers	Heavy Rain
Precipitation probability					
70%	80%	20%	40%	40%	60%

Forecast for Sunday 24 Oct 2021

Weather: Cloudy with spells of rain in the morning, heavy at times. Bright or clear spells and a few showers in the afternoon and evening, the odd one could be heavy and thundery. Very windy, especially in the morning, with gales on the tops.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: 20% in the morning becoming 70% in the afternoon.

Visibility: Areas of cloud above 500 or 600m in the morning giving very poor visibility at height. Becoming mainly good in the afternoon but some patchy cloud will affect the tops with temporary reductions as showers pass through.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
900	50/59 S	39/47 SW	34/43 SW	31/40 SW	34/44 SW	35/45 SW	30/39 SW
600	35/43 S	28/36 S	25/33 SW	24/32 SW	24/33 SW	25/34 SW	20/29 SW
300	23/38 S	18/31 S	16/28 SW	15/27 SW	15/28 SW	15/30 SW	13/26 SW
Valley	23/38 S	18/31 S	16/28 SW	15/26 SW	14/27 SW	15/29 SW	12/24 SW

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
900	6/-1	8/2	8/2	8/2	7/1	7/1	6/0
600	8/2	9/5	10/6	10/6	9/5	9/4	8/4
300	10/6	11/8	12/9	12/9	11/8	11/8	10/8
Valley	11/7	13/10	14/11	14/11	13/10	12/10	12/9
Freezing Level*	2200m	2000m	1900m	1700m	1700m	1800m	1700m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Strong southerly winds will give difficult conditions on the tops and ridges, especially in the morning, with a risk of being blown over. A marked wind chill.

Forecast for Monday 25 Oct 2021

Weather: A mixture of clear or sunny spells and showers, some of these could be heavy with a small chance of hail and thunder. Sleet at times above 1000m. Showers becoming isolated late in the day. Feeling chilly on the tops.

Maximum wind: West or Southwest 20 to 25mph with gusts up to 35mph, decreasing to 15mph later.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: 80%.

Visibility: Mainly very good but patchy low cloud will affect summits above 600 or 700m at times. Briefly poor as any heavy showers move through.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 9C rising to 11 or 12C.
At 800m: Plus 6 or 7C.
Freezing level: Above the summits.

Tuesday	A mainly dry and bright day then cloudy with the odd spot of rain in the evening. Strengthening southwesterly winds. Freezing level well above summits.
Wednesday	A dry morning. Heavy and persistent rain arriving in the afternoon accompanied by gale or severe gale force southerly winds. Freezing level well above summits.
Thursday	Rain clearing erratically eastwards followed by blustery showers. Strong southwesterly winds. Freezing level above summits.

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Ground Conditions Supplement
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